IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims to the following form:-

1. (Cancelled)

2. (Cancelled)

3. (Amended) The combination ~~A channel~~ according to claim 15 ~~1~~, in which the lip of ~~the~~ said first side wall where it is physically separated from that side wall is cut through and a portion thereof removed to reduce its length and then re-joined ~~separated from that side wall not only over the said region but also to an end of the channel, the separated lip being re-secured to the first side wall outside the said region~~.

4. (Amended) The combination ~~A channel~~ according to claim 15 ~~1~~, in which the lip of ~~the~~ said third side wall where it is physically separated from that side wall along the region is cut through and a portion thereof removed to reduce its length and then re-joined ~~not only over the said region but also to an end of the channel, the separated lip being re-secured to the third wall outside the said region~~.

5. (Amended) The combination ~~A channel~~ according to claim 15 ~~1~~, in which the insert is a molded ~~moulded~~ insert.

6. (Amended) The combination ~~A channel~~ according to claim 15 ~~1~~, in which the insert is secured using an adhesive material.

7. (Amended) The combination ~~A channel~~ according to claim 5 ~~1~~, in which the insert is secured in position by being molded ~~moulded~~ onto the channel base and walls.

8. (Amended) The combination ~~A channel~~ according to claim 15 ~~1~~, in which the ~~channel~~ base, side walls and lips of the channel arrangement are produced by extrusion.

9. (Amended) In combination, a frame defining a window opening having a corner and a ~~A~~ window sealing and guiding channel arrangement mounted on the frame for sealing and guiding a window glass for the window opening ~~having a sharp corner~~,

the channel arrangement having a base and integral first and second channel walls, each sidewall having a distal edge carrying a respective lip,

the first wall being cut through to physically separate ~~its~~ a distal edge portion of that side wall including the lip from the remainder of the wall, the cut extending along the length of the ~~each~~ wall from a first position on one side of the ~~sharp~~ corner~~,~~ and through the ~~sharp~~ corner,

the second wall being cut through at the ~~sharp~~ corner to physically separate a distal edge portion ~~thereof~~ of that sidewall including the respective lip from the remainder of that wall,

the distal edge portion of the second wall being itself cut through at the ~~sharp~~ corner and re-joined with ~~to form~~ a ~~mitred~~ mitered joint ~~therein~~ matching the ~~sharp~~ corner,

the distal edge portion of the first wall being formed into a ~~smooth~~ curve bridging across the ~~sharp~~ corner,

an insert being secured in position between and spacing apart the distal edge portion of the first wall and ~~the~~ said remainder thereof, the insert having a size which from ~~the~~ said first position to the ~~sharp~~ corner progressively increases the spacing between the distal edge portion of the first wall and the remainder thereof and thereafter progressively decreases that spacing to zero at a second position on the opposite side of the ~~sharp~~ corner to the first position, ~~in which~~ the channel also having ~~has~~ a third channel wall having a distal edge carrying a respective lip, the third wall being adjacent the first side wall and being cut through to physically ~~its~~ a distal edge portion of the third side wall including the lip from the remainder of the third side wall, the cut extending along the length of the third side wall from the first position and through the ~~sharp~~ corner, the distal edge portion of the third side wall being formed into a ~~smooth~~ curve bridging across the ~~sharp~~ corner, this distal edge portion being physically positioned between the ~~smooth~~ curve of the distal edge portion of the first wall and the mitered ~~mitred~~ joint of the distal edge portion of the second wall and overlying the insert,

the remainder of the first, second and third side walls and the base of the channel being removed at the ~~sharp~~ corner and replaced by a molded ~~moulded~~ channel part integrally molded ~~moulded~~ with the insert.

10. (Cancelled)

11. (Amended) The combination ~~A channel~~ according to claim 15 ~~9~~, in which the respective lips of the first and third walls partially bridge across the mouth of the channel of the channel arrangement for contacting and sealing against opposite sides of the window glass.

12. (Amended) The combination ~~A channel~~ according to claim 15 ~~1~~, including a lip within the channel of the channel arrangement and inclininglyextended from the base thereof for engaging an edge of the window glass.

13. (Amended) The combination ~~A channel~~ according to claim 15 ~~1~~, in which the window glass is a slidable window glass in a motor vehicle.

14. (Amended) The combination ~~A channel~~ according to claim 13, in which ~~is mounted in~~ the frame is rigid ~~frame~~ and carried by ~~the~~ a door of the motor vehicle.

15. (New) In combination, a frame defining a window opening having a corner and a window glass sealing and guiding channel arrangement mounted on the frame,

the channel arrangement comprising a channel base and first and second integral channel side walls made of flexible material, each side wall having a distal edge and a lip extending along the distal edge of the side wall, the channel being bent to match the corner along a predetermined region of the cannel,

the lip on the first side wall being physically separated from the first side wall by means of a cut which extends through the first side wall and along said region of the physically separated lip smoothly bridging across the corner,

the lip on the second side wall being physically separated from the second side wall by means of a cut which extends through the second side wall and along the said region,

of the channel said separated lip on the second sidewall having been cut through at an intermediate point along said region and re-joined with a miter joint matching the corner,

the channel comprising a third wall extending from the channel base between the first and second walls and adjacent the first side wall and also made of flexible material, the third side wall having a distal edge and a lip extending along the distal edge of that side wall and which is physically separated from that side wall along said region and which smoothly bridges across the corner,

the base of the channel and the parts of the side walls physically separated from said lips along the region forming a channel portion which is completely removed from the arrangement,

a predetermined insert being secured in position in the arrangement to replace the completely removed said channel portion, the insert comprising a base and first, second and third side walls which replace the base and the first, second and third side walls of the completely removed said channel portion but are sized to extend to and to be respectively secured to the physically separated lips,

the lip of the third side wall being sized and positioned along the said region to substantially overlie said insert.